CLAIMS

1. A navigation apparatus comprising:

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a display unit that displays a route search result; a memory unit that stores route search criteria including a destination; and

a route-search-result obtaining unit that obtains, when a route search instruction including a designated location is received while the route search result is displayed on the display unit, the route search result with the designated location as a departure point and the destination included in the route search criteria stored in the memory unit as an arrival point.

2. The navigation apparatus according to claim 1, further 15 comprising:

an operating unit for moving a cursor position on a map displayed on the display unit, wherein

when the route search instruction in which the cursor position is specified as the designated location is received, the route-search-result obtaining unit obtains the route search result with the cursor position as the departure point and the destination included in the route search criteria stored in the memory unit as the arrival point.

25 3. The navigation apparatus according to claim 1 or 2, wherein

when the route search instruction including the designated location is received while the route search result is displayed on the display unit, the route-search-result obtaining unit obtains the route search result based on the route search criteria stored in the memory unit.

4. The navigation apparatus according to any one of claims

1 to 3, wherein

when the route search instruction including the designated location is received, the route-search-result obtaining unit transmits a request for a route search with the designated location as the departure point and the destination included in the route search criteria stored in the memory unit as the arrival point to a route search server via a network, and obtains the route search result transmitted from the route search server in response to the request.

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5. A navigation method of displaying a route search result on a display unit, the navigation method comprising:

obtaining, when a route search instruction including a designated location is received while the route search result is displayed on the display unit, the route search result with the designated location as a departure point and a destination used for a route search displayed on the display unit as an arrival point.

20 6. A computer program for causing a computer of a navigation apparatus that including a display unit that displays a route search to execute:

obtaining, when a route search instruction including a designated location is received while the route search result is displayed on the display unit, the route search result with the designated location as a departure point and a destination used for a route search displayed on the display unit as an arrival point.